Sterling SB374

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Re: SB 374, Behavioral Health Assessment

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am asking that you amend the SB 374 to test only public school kids.

When I was in public school, I had alot of emotioal problems. I went to the school counsellor and she did not pick up on it. My mother picked up on these things and addressed these problems. I also experienced numerous troubles just because I was a Christian.

I think the public school kids should take the test because they are under alot of pressure and stress socially and academically. With 25 kids in a classroom, teachers cannot notice everything a kids goes through.

The children that are homeschooled, their parents can tell if child or children are having problems because they know their own kids. The homeschooled kids are not put under alot of stress and can go at their own pace. I know how it feels to be in public school, the kids in public school start to develop alot of emotional problems which can lead to serious health issues.

From,

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